



To Our Residents:
The Town Manager & Board of Selectmen Send a Reminder to

**“Save the Date”
Winter/Spring 2014**

*This flier contains key dates and information on upcoming Town business and events from January through June 2014 that may be useful in planning your family schedule. We invite you to access further information, our convenient online bill payment center, Recreation program registration and Holden’s Geographic Information System (GIS) at the Town’s Website: www.holdenma.gov. You can also visit us on **Facebook**, sign up for email notifications and enroll in our CodeRed emergency notification system. Our Website is now formatted for your mobile devices.*

Gale Free Library Programming.....Throughout Winter/Spring
(please visit www.galefreelibrary.org for more information)

Dog License Deadlines

January 1 - March 31 (discount).....Spayed/neutered \$10; Intact \$11
April 1 - May 31 (regular).....Spayed/neutered \$20; Intact \$21
June 1 - December 31 (late).....Spayed/neutered \$30; Intact \$31
(Licenses cannot be issued without a rabies certificate. Proof of spayed/neutered certificate required)

Census will be mailed out..... Month of January

Christmas Tree Chipping, 8-2:30 p.m.....January 4 & 11
(Holden DPW – Lower Adams Road)

Winter Wonderland Concert, Senior Center.....January 22

Excise Tax Bills Mailed Out.....February
(due in March)

Multi-generation Cross Country Skiing races.....February 1
(ages 5 and older, 10-12 p.m. at Davis Hill fields. Weather permitting. \$5)

Real Estate Taxes Due.....February 3 & May 1

Friends of COA Cookie Sale, 9 a.m. Senior Center.....February 14

Document Shredding, 8-11 a.m.....March 15
(Wachusett Regional Recycle Center, 131 Raymond Huntington Hwy., West Boylston)

Pool Passes on Sale, 9 a.m.....April 1

Household Hazardous Products Collection, 8-12 p.m.....April 19
(Wachusett Regional Recycle Center, 131 Raymond Huntington Hwy., West Boylston)

"Save the Date" (Continued)

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| New England Storyteller, 1 p.m., Senior Center..... | April 23 |
| Resident Registration for Summer Rec Programs, 9 a.m..... | Begins May 10 |
| Non-Resident Registration for Summer Rec Programs, 9 a.m. | Begins May 11 |
| Annual Town Election..... | May 12 |
| Annual Town Meeting..... | May 19 |
| Memorial Day Parade..... | May 26 |
| Document Shredding, 8-11 a.m..... | May 17 (Wachusett Regional Recycle Center, 131 Raymond Huntington Hwy., West Boylston) |
| Pool Opens – Weekends Only, 12-5 pm..... | June 7 |
| WRSD Last Day of School..... | June 13 (185 th day June 20) |
| Pool Opens for Season, Last Day of School, 1 p.m..... | Tentative June 13 |
| Household Hazardous Products Collection, 8-12 p.m..... | June 21 (Wachusett Regional Recycle Center, 131 Raymond Huntington Hwy., West Boylston) |

The following are useful telephone numbers. For a complete listing, please check www.holdenma.gov or the Town Report (also available on the website).

Area Code 508:

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| Police, Fire & Medical Emergencies | 911 |
| United Way (Non-Emergency Social Services) | 211 |

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| Gale Free Library | 210-5560 | Tax Bills..... | 210-5510 |
| Property Assessments..... | 210-5515 | Trash-Recycling..... | 210-5540 |
| Recreation..... | 829-0263 | Utility Bills..... | 210-5400 |
| Selectmen, Town Manager..... | 210-5501 | Voter, Elections..... | 210-5530 |
| Senior Center | 210-5570 | Wachusett School District..... | 829-1670 |

Get Involved and "Do Something:"

We encourage you to consider volunteering for a town board or committee. The only qualification is that you be a registered voter in the Town of Holden with a desire to get involved with town issues and "do something." If you are interested, contact the Town Manager's Office at (508) 210-5501 or visit www.holdenma.gov and download a "Do Something" questionnaire, to detail your contact information and specific interests.